

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the above-referenced application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A method of processing messages received by user equipment (~~UE~~) from a network, ~~the~~ the method comprising:

receiving a message at the ~~UE~~ User Equipment that indicates that the ~~UE~~ User Equipment should be in a dedicated channel state, wherein the message is one of the following: a Cell Update Confirm message or a ~~URA~~ Universal Mobile Telecommunication System Terrestrial Access Network Registration Area, Update Confirm message or a ~~RRC~~ Radio Resource Control Connection setup message;

in response to the message, clearing from the user equipment any record of a cell identifier; and

optionally sending a response message receivable by the network, after the UE is cleared of any record of a cell identifier.

2. (Original) A method according to claim 1 wherein the dedicated channel is a Cell_DCH channel.

3. (Canceled)

4. (Original) A method according to claim 1 wherein the cell identifier is a Cell Radio Network Temporary Identifier.

5. (Canceled)

6. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 1, ~~2, or 4~~, wherein when the message is a message that indicates that the ~~UE~~ User Equipment should move into a dedicated channel state, the method further comprises clearing from the ~~UE~~ User Equipment any record of a cell identifier before moving to the dedicated channel state.

7. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 1 wherein when the message includes a new cell identifier, the method further comprises, in response to the message, not storing in the ~~UE~~ User Equipment any record of the cell identifier included in the message.

8. (Currently Amended) Apparatus for processing messages received by user equipment (~~UE~~) from a network, the apparatus comprising elements capable of:

receiving a message at the ~~UE~~ User Equipment that indicates that the apparatus should be in a dedicated channel state, wherein the message is one of the following: a Cell Update Confirm message, a ~~URA~~ Universal Mobile Telecommunication System Terrestrial Access Network Registration Area Confirm Update message or a ~~RRC~~ Radio Resource Control Connection setup message; and

in response to the message, clearing from the apparatus any record of a cell identifier; and optionally sending a response message receivable by the network.

9. (Original) Apparatus according to claim 8 wherein the dedicated channel is a Cell_DCH channel.

10. (Canceled)

11. (Original) Apparatus according to claim 8 wherein the cell identifier is a Cell Radio Network Temporary Identifier.

12. (Canceled)

13. (Currently Amended) Apparatus according to ~~claims claim 8, 9 or 11~~ claim 8 wherein the apparatus is further arranged, on receipt of a message that indicates that the apparatus should move into a dedicated channel state, to clear from the apparatus any record of a cell identifier before moving to the dedicated channel state.

14. (Original) Apparatus according to claim 8 wherein the apparatus is further arranged, on receipt of a message that includes a new cell identifier, not to store in the apparatus any record of the cell identifier included in the message.

15. (Original) A mobile telecommunication device incorporating apparatus according to claim 8.